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## MECHANICAL REPAIRS TO THE SARAH LONG BRIDGE IN PORTSMOUTH WILL RESTRICT LIFTS FOR PISCATAQUA RIVER TRAFFIC ON APRIL 21

The New Hampshire Department of Transportation announces necessary mechanical repairs to the Sarah Mildred Long Bridge carrying NH Route 1A over the Piscataqua River in Portsmouth will require a restriction on bridge lifts for river traffic on Wednesday, April 21, 2004.

These bridge repairs on the Long Bridge will take place on April 21 from 9:30 AM until 12:30 PM. During that time there will be no bridge lifts for boat traffic. Motor vehicle traffic crossing the bridge will not be affected by the work.